

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph at page 19, lines 9-20, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A<sup>1</sup>  
A drive 88 is connected to the external bus 55. A recording medium mounted on the drive 88 includes a magnetic disc 95 such as a floppy disc, an optical disc 96 such as a CD-ROM (Compact Disc-Read Only Memory) or a DVD (Digital Versatile Disc), a magneto-optical disc 97 such as an MD (Mini Disc) or a semiconductor memory 98. The drive 88 reads out a program or data from the magnetic disc 95, the optical disc 96, the magneto-optical disc 97 or the semiconductor memory 98 and supplies the program or the data to the HDD 56 or the RAM 54 by way of the external bus 55 or the internal bus 51 respectively.

Please replace the paragraph at page 54, lines 10-17, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A<sup>2</sup>  
If data making a request for a comment is received from the still-picture photographing program 103 or data indicating that an operation be terminated is received in State 21, the application communication unit 121 ~~passed~~ passes on the data to the UI processing unit 123. Data indicating that an operation be terminated is received for example when the shutter button 10 is pressed or released.

Please replace the paragraph at page 62, lines 4-11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A<sup>3</sup>  
If none of the words displayed in the popular-name display field 226 matches a word recognized by the voice recognition engine 101, on the other hand, the recognized-test processing unit 126 typically displays a text corresponding to the voice recognized by the

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end voice recognition engine 101 along with a message indicating the mismatch in the text-result display field 273. An example of such a message is "NG".

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Please replace the paragraph at page 70, line 20, to page 71, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:

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The As shown in Fig. 38, the voice launcher control unit 124 of the voice commander 102 activates the word-processor program 106 which displays a predetermined window 391 on the LCD panel 21. The window 391 displayed by the word-processor program 106 includes a display area 392 for displaying a text file.

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